

**JOINT**  
**STUDY COMMITTEE ON REFUGEE ISSUES**

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2021**  
**10:00AM – HOUSE HEARING ROOM III**  
**CORDELL HULL BUILDING**

**Committee Members:**

**SENATE MEMBERS**

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REPRESENTATIVE CHRIS TODD  
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**PRESENTATIONS**

**Office of the Governor**

Valerie Yancey, Deputy Director of Legislative Affairs  
Eric Mayo, Legislative Liaison

**Department of Children's Services**

Drew Wright, Executive Director of Legislation and Policy

**Bethany Christian Services**

Amy Scott, Tennessee State Director  
Dana Anderson,  
Vice President of Refugee and Immigrant Children's Services

**Bridge Refugee Services, Inc.**

Drocella Mugorewera, Executive Director

**Catholic Charities of East Tennessee**

Alessandra Ceccarelli, Office of Immigrant Services  
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